LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **TUESDAY**, **JANUARY 13**, **2009**, upon the application of **QUESTAR EXPLORATION AND PRODUCTION COMPANY**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Cotton Valley Formation**, **Reservoir A**, in the Thorn Lake Field, Red River Parish, Louisiana.

- 1. To permit the applicant to drill, designate and utilize two (2) additional alternate unit wells (one vertical and one horizontal) for CV RA SUK, at the locations shown on the plat submitted with the application, and to grant such exception to the well spacing provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 1145, effective July 31, 1981, as are necessary with respect hereto.
- 2. To explicitly find that the proposed alternate unit wells are in the interest of conservation and are necessary to drain a portion of the Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, underlying CV RA SUK, which cannot be efficiently and economically drained by any existing well in such unit.
- 3. To provide that the unit allowable for CV RA SUK may be produced from either the unit well, alternate unit wells, or any combination thereof, at the operator's discretion.
- 4. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A is fully defined in Order No. 1145, effective July 31, 1981.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN FIVE (5) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.